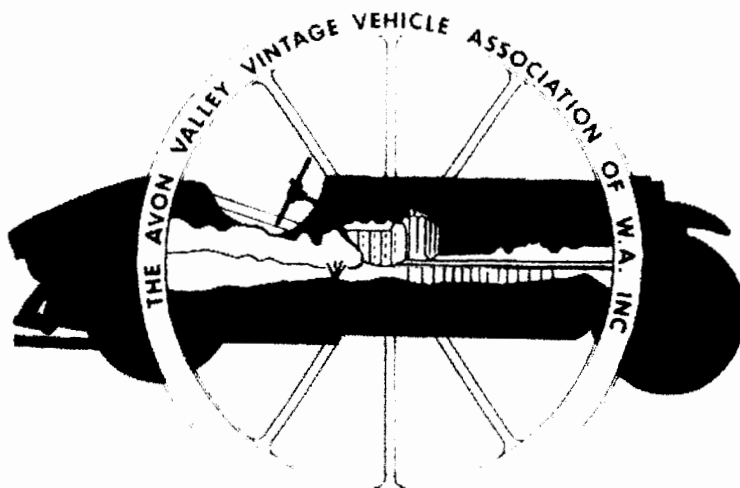


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## NEXT CLUB MEETING THURSDAY JUNE 11 2005

8.00pm AT THE CLUBROOMS FITZGERALD STREET NORTHAM

The following Articles/Editorials are published as received and are not necessarily the views of the AVVVA. Deadline for articles: Last day of the month

### FROM THE PRESIDENT

Membership fees are now due before the end of this month. Thank you to those members who have paid promptly. Those who are still outstanding please hurry now before the period of grace expires and avoid being written off.

Stan Eastwood has invited the members for a run to his place in Toodyay on July 17. This will be a BYO picnic or barbecue lunch arrangement.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be on July 21. All positions will be declared vacant so please be prepared to volunteer your services to fill all executive and committee positions.

**JIM DONOVAN.....President**

### COMING EVENTS

**Saturday June 11** Collie Agricultural Society, Food and Wine Festival  
Details Helen Teahan 97347229.

**Sunday June 26** Winter Auto Jumble.  
Veteran Car Club, cnr Ranford & Warton Rds  
Southern River Book B Beames 0419276411

**Saturday July 9 AVVVA Annual Dinner and 20 Years of AVVVA Celebrations. At Northam Residential College. \$20 per head. Details Leanne Dunn 96221383.**

Change of Date

Now **Tuesday July 12** CMC Quiz Night.  
Cannington Greyhounds. Tables of 8. \$8 p/h.  
Bookings FAX 93975515.

**Sunday July 17** AVVVA Run to Toodyay.  
Lot 27 Railway Road Toodyay. Details at  
June Meeting or Phone Stan Eastwood on  
95744462.

**Sun July 17** Festival of Motoring. Avon  
Terrace York. Run by Shannon's & York

Motor Museum. Register your attendance,  
phone Shaync on 0409376000 or e-mail  
Shayne\_attwater@shannons.com.au

**Sunday July 31** German Car Day. Perth-  
Northam. Mercedes Benz Car Club.

**Saturday August 29** Beverley Agricultural  
Show.

**Sunday September 11.** 100 Years of Austin.  
Fremantle Esplanade opp Esplanade Hotel.  
Phone Bruce 92719529 or Sandie 93391096.

**Sunday October 16** RAC 100 years  
Centenary. Details from the Fremantle Motor  
Museum. Phone 0407330390 or Website  
100years.rac.com.au

**Thurs October 20** All stars Concert Northam  
Town Hall 1pm-4pm. Booked \$15 at Door  
\$25. RSVP early before Sept 20. Phone Karen  
96223886. Over 60's.

**Sunday November 13** Chidlow Show. Phone  
Ruth 95723675.

**Sunday Nov 13** Maurice Brockwell  
Memorial Run. Departs South Perth.

**2006**

**Sunday Feb 19** AVVVA 2006 Swap Meet.  
Northam Showgrounds.

### FROM THE SECRETARY

It is nice to see a local member running a local event. Well done to Stan Eastwood for volunteering his home for a club run on July 17.

A letter from Job Futures is in our May minutes. Please have a read as we need a decision on this at the June meeting. In a nutshell, we want Job Futures to help restore our clubrooms but how can we come to some agreement that is satisfactory to Job Futures and the AVVVA members???

More events coming up later in the year so check the coming events for activities for 2005. If you have an event you want listed drop me a line or e-mail me at fredandlinda@bigpond.com

**.Happy Motoring FRED SINGLETON**

## SUMMARY OF MAY MEETING

**Apologies:** Dale Keayes, Ted Leagas, Rex Downie, Mike Camilleri.

A minute silence in respect of the passing of Peter Speciale was observed.

**Minutes read:** Accepted by Clarrie Doust, seconded by Andrew Wooding.

### Business arising from those minutes:

- 1 Wheatbelt Initiatives still pending.
- 2 Mick Oliver's book brought to meeting but Mick not present at meeting.

**Correspondence:** In: 41. Out: 1. Moved Mick McColl, seconded Kevin Christmass.

**Treasurer's Report:** Bank Balance \$9403.26  
Treasurer's Report accepted: Moved Alan Hicks, seconded Phil Chapman.  
Hospice cheque still outstanding.

### Committee Reports:

#### Events Committee:

- 1 Moondyne Festival attended, report in Newsletter.
- 2 Stan Eastwood spoke on a visit by Martin Pain who owned his existing vehicle. He said Martin would like to organise an event with the VCC and AVVVA on July 17 at Stan's house in Toodyay. Stand has made his property available. This event would conflict with York Festival of Motoring. Interest appeared to be strong and Stan confirmed event would go ahead. Lot 27 Railway Road Toodyay (Just past the Avon Banks Caravan Park).

#### Shed Report:

- 1 Morris shock absorbers fitted.
- 2 Alan Hicks requested an appropriate stepladder be purchased. 2<sup>nd</sup> Ron Morris, AIF. Alan Hicks also reported he put up stepladder, which almost gave way due incorrect construction.
- 3 Club Rooms: Security light pending.
- 4 Answering Machine/Fax/Phone for Clubrooms, cost \$280. Moved Fred Singleton, Seconded Ron Morris. AIF.

**Registrar's Report:** Nil.

#### New Members:

- 1 Geoff Blackburn PO Box 6 Glen Forrest WA 6071
- 2 Gary Slater 24 Bayley Road York WA 6032.
- 3 John Dawson 46 Suburban Road York WA 6302.

#### General Business:

1. Letter from Job Futures:  
Letter was read to all in attendance. Due to the importance of the matter, the letter has been reproduced in full:

May 17 2005

Dear Committee members and members:

Hi All

Since on of our first meetings, back in January 20 2005, there has been a lack of effort in for filling any requests by Job Futures and myself. Her is a couple of jobs completed so far,

A. Repair and strengthen the double-sided bookcase in the library.

B. Loosely lay, cut and join the carpet in the long room and secure to the floor in the doorways with proper strips.

The laying of the carpet was a deal worked out with your members, for the use of the back room as an office for my staff.

The deal was made at the meeting on March 17 2005. We had to secure the carpet in the long room so that you could move everything out the back room before we moved in ie plaster, repair, pain (you choose the colours) and make curtains for the windows.

We had the carpet secured down within a couple of weeks. I then informed one of your members on completion.

I attended the next busy bee, held on April 16 2005. I was told then that we would not be having the back room, as you could not find enough space to hold everything from the back room.

On the same day, I spoke with the President, Jim Donovan. Jim came up with another idea. All we had to do was to build a room, by adding 2 walls on the outside of the long room, where the old fridge is situated, (see photo). The room would have a doorway (but no door) and will be protected from the weather. We also were going to make shelves, for the junk.

I agreed with Jim, that this would be a good idea, so I had my carpenter start on the framework.

I was told after the last meeting held on April 22 2005 that there were too many that opposed the idea.

Could we, from now on, have all agreements in writing, so that there is no confusion?

Sincerely

Craig Gordon

Project Manager

Wheatbelt Job Futures

Colin Campbell addressed the meeting expressing his concerns.

Phil Chapman strongly opposed the idea and gave his reasons.

Ron Morris addressed the meeting outlining his support.

Lianne Dunn addressed the meeting outlining her support.

Due to the sensitive nature of the matter, Ron Morris moved that the matter be advertised in the

Newsletter and voted on/or discussed at the next meeting held in June 2005.

2. Honour Board: Ron Morris outlined ideas for the setup of the honour board. President, Vice Pres, Sec & Treas to be listed along with Life Members. Details all known Executive Committee Members. Asked for feedback/changes from members at the meeting.
3. John Lommas requested if anyone was interested in providing a wedding car. John King would make contact with the people concerned.
4. Colin and Phil next busy bee day a few volunteers to set out the memorabilia in the long room. June 11 2005.
5. An old garden shed or similar required for students at the Northam Residential College to house chickens in. Wanted add to be run newsletter.
6. Assistance required, to move timber from Ron Morris' place.

**Meeting Closed: 9.30pm.**

**Next Meeting Thursday June 16 2005.**

### **FORE SALE**

3 Bar Stools  
3 Prefect Wheels and Hubcaps  
37 & 38 Chev Engine  
Chev Four Chassis and Engine Block  
Offers to Shed Committee members or see  
Phil Chapman

### **WANTED**

Volunteers to help at busy bee June 11 to set out memorabilia in the long room. See Col Campbell or Phil Chapman at busy bee.

Assistance to move timber from Ron Morris' house to clubrooms. Phone Ron 96227044.

Old garden shed or similar to house chickens at Residential College.  
Phone Leanne Dunn 96221383.

## **BUSY BEE DATES FOR 2005**

**JUNE 11**

**JULY 16 - AUGUST 13**

**SEPTEMBER 10 - OCTOBER 15**

**NOVEMBER 12**

**DECEMBER TO BE ADVISED.**

## **MEETING DATES FOR 2005**

**June 16**

**July 21 + AGM**

**August 18**

**September 15 - October 20**

**November 17 - December 15**

**Safe and Happy Motoring**

**SECRETARY....Fred Singleton**

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